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In response to the Notice of Incomplete Reply (Nonprovisional) Filing Date Granted dated October 24, 2001, I'm enclosing a properly signed declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above application Number and Filing Date, as required.

Respectfully submitted,

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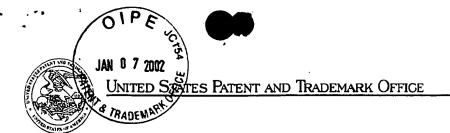
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The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office has received your reply on 09/21/2001 to the Notice to File Missing Parts (Notice) mailed 09/14/2001 and it has been entered into the nonprovisional application. The reply, however, does not include the following items required in the Notice.

The period of reply remains as set forth in the Notice. You may, however, obtain EXTENSIONS OF TIME under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 (a) accompanied by the appropriate fee (37 CFR 1.17(a)).

A complete reply must be timely filed to prevent ABANDONMENT of the above-identified application.

The required items noted below SHOULD be filed along with any items required above. The filing date of this nonprovisional application will be the date of receipt of the items required above.

• The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.

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